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Senator Wilson moved the following **amendment to amendment**
(820828):

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 22, line 26, through
page 23, line 6, delete those lines

and insert: school enrollment.

1. Beginning in the 2007-2008 school year, a student who withdraws from a public school for reasons other than graduating or transferring to another school within or outside the state must have an exit interview with a counselor who presents the student with information concerning:

a. The value of a high school education, both financial and cultural;

b. The alternative assessments, such as the SAT and the ACT, the scores of which could help the student obtain a high school diploma; and

c. The postsecondary options that are available, including workforce training and enrolling in a community college or a university, and the prerequisites to each, with

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1 or without a diploma. The instruction must include a detailed
2 discussion of the relative advantages and disadvantages of
3 each alternative.

4 2. In the exit interview, the counselor must also
5 determine where the student plans to go, and the school must
6 assign to the student a counselor who will serve as a resource
7 for educational information until he or she attains the age of
8 18 years.

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12 And the title is amended as follows:

13 On page 137, line 1, after the semicolon,

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15 insert:

16 requiring that a counselor present specified
17 information to such a student and assign to the
18 student a followup counselor who will provide
19 educational information until he or she is 18
20 years of age;

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